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TAGS: CDES, PL (MARKUSIEWICZ, ANTONY)

SUBJECT: NOFIFICATION OF DEATH/DISPOSITION OF REMAINS  
(MARKUSIEWICZ, ANTONY)

TO: MRS. CECYLIA MARKUSIEWICZ

2366 SO. 13TH ST.

MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN

1. IT IS WITH PROFOUND REGRET THAT I MUST INFORM YOU OF THE DEATH OF YOUR HUSBAND, ANTHONY MARKUSIEWICZ. THE POLISH AUTHORITIES INFORMED THE AMERICAN EMBASSY AT WARSAW ON APRIL 15, 1976, OF HIS DEATH OF CARDIAC ARREST IN A HOSPITAL IN WARSAW, POLAND.

2. YOUR HUSBAND HAS BEEN IDENTIFIED BY HIS AMERICAN PASSPORT AND BY HIS FAMILY IN WARSAW.

3. THE EMBASSY WILL TAKE CHARGE OF HIS PERSONAL EFFECTS AND WILL WRITE TO YOU CONCERNING THEIR DISPOSITION.

4. REGRETFULLY, MUST DRAW YOUR ATTENTION TO THE NEED TO MAKE URGENT ARRANGEMENTS. LOCAL LAW REQUIRES LOCAL BURIAL OR THAT PROMPT ARRANGEMENTS BE MADE FOR SHIPMENT. WE UNDERSTAND FROM YOUR HUSBAND'S RELATIVES IN WARSAW THAT YOU HAVE STATED YOUR DESIRE TO HAVE THE REMHAINS RETURNED TO THE U.S. IF SO, PREPARATION AND AIR SHIPMENT OF REMAINS TO THE UNITED STATES WOULD COST \$3,000.00. CREMATION AND SHIPMENT OF REMAINS TO U.S. WOULD COST A MINIMUM OF \$500.00, PLUS THE COST OF SHIPMENT WITHIN POLAND. IF LOCAL

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BURIAL IS DESIRED, THE COST IS \$750.00. ALL OF THESE COSTS

ARE APPROXIMATE. SINCE EMBALMING AND COSMETIC PREPARATION  
IS NOT UP TO U.S. STANDARDS, VIEWING MAY NOT BE ADVISABLE.

5. AFTER YOU HAVE MADE YOUR DECISION. PLEASE TAKE THE  
FOLLOWING ACTIONS:

PLEASE TELEGRAPH FUNDS AND INSTRUCTIONS TO DIRECTOR, SPECIAL  
CONSULAR SERVICES, DEPARTMENT OF STATE, WASHINGTON, D.C.  
INCLUDE IN MESSAGE NAME OF DECEASED AND NAME AND ADDRESS OF  
FUNERAL HOME IN U.S., IF SHIPMENT DESIRED. TELEGRAPHIC  
MONEY ORDER SHOULD BE MADE PAYABLE TO DEPARTMENT OF STATE.  
IF YOU ARE HAVING THE REMAINS SHIPPED TO THE U.S., YOU MAY  
WISH TO HAVE THE U.S. FUNERAL HOME YOU SELECT MAKE  
THESE ARRANGEMENTS FOR YOU.

6. UPON RECEIPT OF THE REQUIRED FUNDS, YOUR INSTRUCTIONS  
WILL BE CARRIED OUT AS PROMPTLY AS CIRCUMSTANCES PERMIT.  
WE ESTIMATE APPROXIMATELY SEVEN DAYS WILL BE REQUIRED  
FOLLOWING RECEIPT OF FUNDS TO CARRY OUT YOUR INSTRUCTIONS  
IF REMAINS ARE TO BE SHIPPED. THERE MAY BE AN ADDITIONAL  
DELAY DUE TO THE FACT THAT WE ARE IN THE MIDST OF THE  
EASTER WEEKEND THROUGH APRIL 19, AND MOST SERVICES IN POLAND ARE  
NOT OPERATING. UPON COMPLETION OF ALL FORMALITIES, A FOREIGN  
SERVICE REPORT OF DEATH PREPARED BY THIS OFFICE WILL BE  
FORWARDED TO YOU.

7. LOCAL AUTHORITIES REQUIRE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION  
IN CONNECTION WITH THE PREPARATION OF DEATH CERTIFICATE:  
NAMES OF PARENTS, INCLUDING MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME; WIFE'S  
NAME, INCLUDING MAIDEN NAME.

8. IF NECESSARY, YOU MAY CONTACT THE CONSULAR SECTION OF  
THIS POST BY PHONING 28-30-41, EXTENSION 344 IN WARSAW,  
POLAND.

9. BE ASSURED OF MY DEEPEST SYMPATHY IN YOUR BEREAVEMENT.  
AMERICAN EMBASSY  
WARSAW, POLAND  
DAVIES

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